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I OPPOSE THE DRAFT M.O.U. being proposed by the FDA. In particular, I OBJECT to the definition of "inordinate amount" which restricts the availability and the right to obtain medically necessary compounded medications by limiting the number of prescriptions that can be shipped across state lines from specialized compounding pharmacies.

After seeing three different doctors, I finally found one who introduced me to the individual dosing that compounding pharmacies provide. My compounded medication alleviates symptoms that were previously debilitating such as depression, sleeplessness, and anxiety. It has changed my life. I no longer suffer from the over- or under- dosing that came from the commercial pharmaceuticals. The one-size-fits-all DOES NOT fit me.

Please consider this when making your decisions about the M.O.U.

Respectfully,

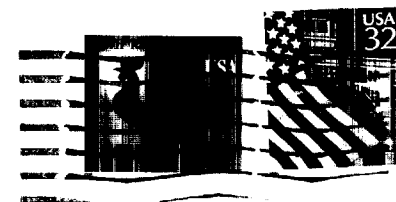


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